

**APPLICATION TO EXCUSE**  
**MANDATORY DIVORCE MEDIATION**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete the Application to Excuse Mandatory Divorce Mediation to determine if your divorce mediation session can be excused for good cause by the Administrative Office of the Courts.  
The applicant themselves **MUST** sign the form even if prepared by a third party.

Case Number \_\_\_\_\_ Judge/Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_

Location Petition was Filed \_\_\_\_\_ Date Petition was Answered \_\_\_\_\_

	<b><u>Petitioner</u></b>	<b><u>Respondent</u></b>
Name	_____	_____
Street Address	_____	_____
City, State, Zip	_____	_____
Date of Birth	_____	_____
E-Mail Address	_____	_____
Phone Number(s)	_____	_____
Attorney's Name	_____	_____
Attorney's Address	_____	_____
City, State, Zip	_____	_____
Attorney's Phone	_____	_____
Attorney's E-Mail	_____	_____

(Please circle your answers)

Yes      No      Is there a current Protective/Restraining/No Contact Order issued between the parties?  
Yes      No      Is there a history/allegation of domestic violence?  
Yes      No      Can you safely be contacted at the phone number/address listed above?  
If not, how can you be reached? \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes      No      Is there a history of mental incapacitation with either party?  
If so, whom \_\_\_\_\_ What type? \_\_\_\_\_ Is it currently being treated? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please explain your reason for requesting to be excused from mandatory mediation.**

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**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE** (third party signatures will not be accepted \_\_\_\_\_)

**DEMOGRAPHIC SURVEY INFORMATION**

(Participation in the demographic survey is entirely voluntary and will be used for reporting purposes only.)

**Race** (Please check only one)

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| <input type="radio"/> American Indian or Alaska Native | <input type="radio"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander |
| <input type="radio"/> Caucasian                        | <input type="radio"/> African American                          |
| <input type="radio"/> Asian / Asian American           | <input type="radio"/> Other / Don't Know                        |
| <input type="radio"/> Hispanic                         |   |

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